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BOOTS AND SHOES.



T the store heretofore occupied by J. Bishop A & Co., the subscriber has opened a large and extensive assortment of Boots and Shoes, which were selected particularly for the retail trade from the most approved mannfactories—to wit. Gentlemens fine Calf Boots.

Waterproof Stout Calf sewed "
pegged "
fine " Bootees

Stout " Fine Shoes and Pumps

India Rubber over-shoes Ladies French and Morocco Slippers

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Buckskin and Velvet Seal Slippers and walking shoes Misses Seal and Prunella walking

Slippera Leather Boots and Shoes New style Rubber Boys Fine and stout Boots

" " Bootees " Dancing Pumps
Childrens black and colored Prunella Boots

Seal and Morocoo Boots and " Leather Boots and Shoes.

A large stock of Mens stout shoes and brogans suitable for plantations, and

6000

Pairs of Negro shoes, Camden make, superior to any others in the district.

Northern and Southern Sole leather, Upper leather, French and Northern Calf skins, Lining and Binding skins, various colored Morocco skins for Coach trimming.

Shoe knives, pincers, kit files, punches, awl blades and halfs, boot webbing, heel ball, shoe tackr, bristles sparables, peg cutters, sand stones, jiggers, shoulder sticks, shoe lasts and all other articles generally in use with shoemakers—also every description of imported shoe thread, shoe blacking and varnish

Dry fildes received in exchange.

GEO. ALDEN.

50 ded from the subscriber in Barnwell Dist.
S. C., on the night of the 15th inst. a negro man named REUBEN, he also took with him a dark sorrel Mare about 13 hands high, said mare has a small star in her face, and has two saddle marks on her back.

Reuben is about 25 or 30 years of age, 6 feet high, dark complected, speake quick when spoken to, and when he left, had on a blue cloth coat, and a black hat with crape around it. The subscriber bought said negro from a man who said his name was JOHN EDWARDS, and that he lived in about 6 miles of Camden, he was travelling to Alabama, and had four slaves in company with hin, of which Reuben was one, he is also of opinion, that said boy has by some means came up with his former master, and that will endeavor to get him out of the state for the purpose of re-selling him. Any person taking up said negro, and lodging him in jail, and giving information thereof to me; at Blackville Post-office, Barnwell District, S. C., shall receive the above reward. SAMUEL REED.

25 Oct. 21 41*

CARD.—The subscribers having opened a Taylor and Drapers business 2 doors South of Holleyman & Gass' store, on Main-street, beg leave to tender their services to the citizens of Camden and its vicinity, in cutting and making up cloth in the latest and most fashionable styles. They will receive the New York and Philadelphia fashions quarterly.

They will execute all orders that may be entrusted to their care, with neatness and despatch—and hope by close and unremitting attention to business, to merit a share of public patronag.

SEVERNS & SMITH.

Camden, S. C. Sep. 23 21 9t

CARD.—The undersigned having formed a copartnership in the Mercantile business, would respectfully solicit from their friends and the public, a share of patronage.

They intend keeping a full assortment of Fancy and Staple Dry Goods, of the latest fashions:

Groceries of the choicest kind, all of which they will dispose of on the most accommodating terms.
R. L WILSON, Camden, Aug. 30, 1837. J. L. JONES. 18 tf

Wm. KENEDY BARCLAY.

Portrait Painter,

AS arrived in Camden, and has taken rooms
over Mr. Alex. Young's store, where he will
be pleased to attend to all orders he may be favored

Specimens of his Painting can be seen at Mr. oung's Sept. 30 22 4

AlLORING.—The undersigned beg leave to inform their friends and the public generally that they have entered into copartnership in carrying on the Tailoring business, and by close attention and a disposition to please, will endeavor to merit a share of public patronage.

M'DONALD & BRASINGTON.

May I, 1837. M 20, tf

OUSE AND LOTFOR SALE. The house and lot now occupied by James Jenkins as a store, and formerly by J. D. Lemière, is offered for sale The terms will be accommodating to the purchaser and reasonable in price, which may be more fully learned by application to
Aug. 12 15

WM. M.WILLIE.

Mantuamaking.

RS. MARY BRON-ON, very respectfully informs the Ladies of Camden that she is now prepared to carry on the Mantuamaking business. Her work will be done in the most fashionable style—and reasonable charges. Her residence is immediately opposite the post-office.

For Sale, GOOD PIANO. Apply to SHANNON, McGEE & Co.

State of South Carolina.



By his Excellency Pierce M. Butler, Esquire, Alex. Ingrem and Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Elizabeth Smith, the said State.

WHEREAS, information has been received by this department that an attrectious murder was committed in the district of York, on the 14th inst., on the body of Wm. Nance by a negro man slave, named Jack, the property of George M'Allily, and that the said negro Jack has fled from justice.

NOW KNOW YE, to the intent that the said lack may be brought to trial for the said crime; I

Jack may be brought to trial for the said crime; I do hereby offer a reward of two hundred dollars for the apprehension of said Jack and lodging him in any jail of this State. Jack is about 45 years old, 5 feet 9 or 10 inches, weighs about 150 or 160 pounds, complexion yellow black, loves a dram, talks much, and brags greatly of his knowledge of Farriery and Wagoning, of which it is said that he has been driver in almost every State south and west of New York. He was some time ago pur-chased by his present owner from a Mr. Waugh of North Carolina.



Given under my hand and seal of the State at Columbia, this 24th day of October, 1837. P M BUTLER.

By the Governor,

B. H. SAKON, Secretary of State.

Camden, Nov. 4, 27 3t

School. RS. E. S. CLARKSON will resume he school on Monday the 6th November.

ANK BUSINESS .- A. Burr will attend to agency bussiness in either of the Banks, and refers to W. H. Bowen, Esq. Bishopville., John Ramsay, Esq. Sumterville. Sept 30 22 tf

pectfully informs the citizens of Camden and its vicinity, that they can have their clothes cut and made in first rate style, by calling on him at OOK AT THIS!-The subscri er res his residence, in Rutledge street, two doors below Mr. L. W. Ballard's. His terms will be reasonable. ly attended to

JOSEPH CHARLESWORTH. Oct 28 26 tf

O'TICE .- The subscriber takes this method of informing the citizens of Lancaster Dist, that he has re-commenced the Tailoring Business in all its various branches, on cain Creek, near to Shilo Church. He solicits a share of said business. E. W. BAKER.

Plantation for sale.

THE Plantation formerly belonging to P. J. Lucius, situated on the Wateree river and Grannys quarter creek, containing about twelve hundred acres, four hundred of which are cleared. The above plantation is nine miles from Camden with a good road leading to it.

Persons disposed to purchase are invited to visit

Also, the corn and fodder that may be on the remises.

W. O.NIXON premises. The Columbia Telescope will please give the above three insertions and forward their account the division or sale of the real estate of William to this office for payment. Oct. 28 26

The Copartnership heretofore existing in this lace, under the firm of MURRAY & BRYANT, as been dissolved by the death of the latter;

All persons having any demands against the said firm, will please hand them to the subscriber for adjustment, and those who are indebted to it, are earnestly requested to make early payments to him.

JOHN D. MURRAY,

Surviving partner of the firm of MURRAY & BRYANT Oct. 14 24 3m JOHN D. MURRAY will continue business on his own account at the store lately occupied by

Murray & Bryant. Oct 14 24 3m NOVERSELLE WANTED. - . sin gle man who can produce testimonials of his experience as a good Cotton and Provision planter and manager of Negroes, is wanted to proceed to Alabama, and take charge of a considerable planting interest, on the first day of January next None need apply but those who can produce re-commendations of their unexceptionable character and qualifications; such a man will have a permanent and comfortable situation. Apply by letter addressed to R. C. Charleston, will be attended to

r by application to this office. Charleston, Oct. 21 25

South Carolina, Lancaster District.

Robert Phillips and his wife, Susanna, appicant, vs. James Davidson and his wife Elizabeth, Isarel sale, on Monday, Fortinberry and his wife Tabitha, Mark Mosely and of twelve months his wife Olivea, and Levy Deason, heirs of Edmund Deason, dec'd., Defendants.

T appearing to my satisfaction, that the above parties, defendants, resides without this State, it is therefore ordered that they do appear and object to the division or sale of the real estate of Edmund Deason, on or before the first Monday in January next. or their conset to the same will be entered of record.

J. H. WITHERSPOON, O. L. D. Nov. 11 28 St Pr's fee \$4 50

FALL and Winter Fashions. Just received by M'DONALD & BRASING-TON, from New York and Philadelphia.

They are prepared to execute all orders in the most Fashionable Style, and at the shortest possible notice. M'DONALD AND BRASINGTON.
Oct 14 24 4t

OR Sale, 2000 Pair Negro Shoes, of a superior quality, made expressly for this market, which will be sold lower than any of the kind. Also, a general assortment of Harmess, Saddles, Bridles, Travelling Trunks,

N. B. Repairing done on the shortest notice .-Apply one door below John M Niolon's store, to JOHNSON & AUSTIN. Oct. 14 24 7t

COTTON SAW GINS.—The subscriber continues to manufacture the above article on the most approved plan. Old Gins carefully repaired &c &c. Early applications best suit the interest of the planter and manufacturer.

July 22, 12 tf JOHN WORK MAN.

NOT CE.—All persons having demands against the estate of Andrew Benson, dec'd. of Lan-caster Dist. S. C., are requested to hand them in, legally attested, within the time prescribed by law, and those indebted to said estate, to make ayment to James Benson. JAM'S W. BENSON,

Nov 4 27 3t* and SARAH BENSON Adm'rs.

Sale of Lands.

Partition of Real Estate.

following tracts of land belonging to Margaret Ingrem, dec'd.

One tract containing 216 acres, situated and lying in the District of Lancaster on the road from Lancaster to Camden, and at the 24 mile post, from the latter place
Also, one other tract in said district also con-

taining 216 acres adjoining the former, and immediately on the road below, and at the 23 mile post from Can den.

Also one other tract situated and lying in Kershaw Dist. containing 432 acres adjoining the foregoing, and also on said road, reserving from sale S acres, upon which the church stands.

Also, one other tract containing 100 acres, and one of 139 acres, both situated in Kershaw Dist.

All the feregoing tracts adjoin and form a body of land containing 1,103 acres, most of which is productive and of easy cultivation. The tracts of land lying in Kershaw Dist. will be sold with a warranty, as ordered by the decree of the court of

Equity.
TERMS-A credit of one and two years with interest from the day of sale, except so much cash as will pay costs, which will be required from one of the tracts lying in Lancaster Dist. Bond and security. Purchasers to pay for Commissioner's

Persons wishing to purchase, can, at any time xamine the plats for a more general description, by calling at my office.

J. H. WITHERSPOON, Jr.

Comm'r in Equity L. D. Pr's fee \$10 50 Oct. 14 24 6t

SUMTER DISTRICT.

Summo is in Partition. Elijah McElveen, Applicant.

HODA McElveen, Joseph McElveen, John McElveen, Moses McElveen, Elias McElveen, William McElveen, Susan McElveen, (widow of Adam McElveen deceased,) John Frierson, (widower of Jane McLlveen, deceased;) Francis Nelson and Edzaleth & wife, Margaret McElveen (now cDonald, having intermarried with one McDonald) Rebecca McElveen Samuel McE.veen Andrew J. McElveen—children of Adam and Susan McElveen, to wit:

Rebecca, Margaret, Mary Ann, John. Robert, lots. Nancy and Adam. Children of John and Jane B.

Frierson, to wit: Ada ine and Joseph, Mason Reams, guardian adlitem for minor heirs of William McElveen, sr.

deceased, defendants. IT appearing to my satisfaction, that John Mc-Elveen, Moses McElveen, Elias Mc lveen, Wil-liam McElveen, Margaret McDonald, and hu-band, Daniel Accelveen, James M Elveenand wife, and all others (if any of the legal heirs and representa tives of William McElveen, sr deceased.) dete dants, resides without the limits of this state, it is McElveen, sr. on or before the fourt. d.y of December next or their consent will be entered of record. WILLIAM LEWIS, o. s. p. Oct. 7 23 8

A fine Plantation for sale.—The subscriber having purchased lands in the West, offers for sale his plantation lying on West side of Wateree river, containing five hundred acres, two hundred of which, at this time has a crop on it Any person wishing to purchase, is requested to call and examine the premises.

Also, my house at Kirkwood, which is large, with all necessary out buildings, in good repair, a good spring within the enclosure.
Nov. 4. 27 41 JOHN WHITAKER.

DIANO FORTES LUNED -A. SARMEIS-TER, brother to the late C. P. Sakmeister, Patent Piano Forte Maker, of N. Y., offers his services to the citizens of Camdea, for Tuning and Repairing their Pianos. In consideration of his long experience in that line, he flatters himself to satisfy every one, who will please to send his address to Mr. M'Kain's Hotel.

N. B-Persons wishing to have their Plano Fortes n good order, may send their address soon, on account of my staying only for a short time. Nov. 11 28 1t

OR SALE-The subscriber's house and lot in the town of Camden, situate on the East side of Broad street, opposite Col. John Carter's. If not previously disposed of, it will be sold before the Court House in Camden, at public sale, on Monday, the 1st January next, on a credit

Also, on the 20th December next, on the pre-mises, his plantation known as Jourden's Hill, on the east side of the Wateree, about ten miles above Camden, the tract contains upwards of 200 acres of prime upland, 130 of hich is cleared, under good fence, with all necessary fixtures in good repair. The property can be seen and treated for at private sale, at any time previous to the above time, on application to

Nov. 11 28 tf J. J. MICKLE.

Miscellaneous.

TRICKS OF TRADE.

The New York Journal of Commerce contains a report of a case in the Common store? Pleas of that city - Silk and Aaaron vs. Adolphus-in the course of which there was testimony adduced by defendant as to box of trinkets which the defendant had the usage of certain flash auctions, which purchased from the plaintiffs, which had is quite of an edifying character; and if been brought into Court, and was then it shall not serve as "a caution" to purlying on a table near where the witness chasers, it must be their own fault. The was standing action was brought to recover a balance But that box reminds me strongly of due on goods bought by the defendant at old times. auction. He had bought a great bargain of a pretty little box, filled with jewellery and other small articles, at so much per article; and, after paying a part of the refused to abide by his bargain.

as follows.

Q. Have you ever been employed as an auctioneer?

shave lots ? tle astonished.

it an auction during one day ?

xpenses. REALLY Sell?

same day, to Funks. Q. What are Funks?

bidders, in order to raise the price.

knock it down to him. in honest way of doing business?

A. No - that was the reason I quit it. bear it any longer!

those shave lots were put up?

sions?

therefore, always employed.

goods at these auctions?

alway- charged him the fees.

there never was such a bargain," and ing. The toregoing facts are current and the stranger says, "I'll take one of the can be substantially authenticated by the watches;" and then the only one which leading citizens of Woodville, Mississippi, was for sale is given to him; and if any and several of Louisiana. other person should then say, "I'll take

another of the watches," I tell him I am very sorry that he did not speak in time, for the watches are all sold.

Q. Have you known any thing of this sort to have been done in the plaintiff's

A. I know nothing about the plaintiff. The witness here looked archly at the

From the Edgefield Advertiser,

WILD BILL.

MR. EDITOR .- A fact which has some demand, was "shocked" at the number to my knowledge in exploring the West, of odds and ends, small brass rings, etc. may not be uninteresting to your readers, which the box was found to contain, and Some seven or eight years since a huntsman, whose name I have not learnt, ven-Among other witnesses called by the tured farther into the great Mississippi defendant was a man named Coyler Jan- Swamp than usual, when he discovered ny, who exposed the man er in which the mark of barefoot human tracks; aware mock auctions are carried on in so can- that this dismal wilderness had not before did and good humored a way, as to create been explored by the citizens, he was considerable laughter. His evidence was induced to the belief that he was near the hiding place of some deserter, or runaway servant, and returning and mak-A. Yes. During fifteen years, I was ral of his neighbors, who, with the utemployed as auctioneer by different hou- most coution, approached the silent retreat, when to their astonishment and Q. Do you know of such things as consternation, they beheld a being of the wilderness in human form, clothed in A. Yes. A shave lot generally con- nature's garb-hair effectually adopted to sists of a nice looking little box filled the blasts and chills of his gloomy home, with a variety of articles, having at the not quite so long, though resembling the top a few articles of value, and in the trown bear of the West. This unnatural bottom a large number of smell articles being, with searching eye, instantly disworth little or nothing, and so minute in covered his pursuers, and bounding over size that they can scarcely be perceived rafts and through swamps, with the fauntil all the things are turned out of the cility and ease of a young buck, bid box All the articles in the box are sold defiance both to dogs and men, until it at so much each article, and when a per- reached a hiding place at some distance, son bids for them, and the box is knocked ben ath one of the many mounds that down to him, he is then asked to give a attract the traveller's attention in the deposite, and after he has paid it, the ar- alluvial regions of the West. The Cave ticles are then all turned out of the box, showed some marks of man, but for the and the purchaser sometimes looks a lit- knowledge would not have been suspected other than the hermitage of some Q. Are there many of such boxes sold beasts of the forest. Desirous of procuring the object of their pursuit unhurt, A. Not often. If we can really sell with much difficulty, and not until many one shave box in the day, it pays all the slight wounds had been received, they succeeded in securing him. He fought Q. Wnat do you mean by the words with the courage of a Tiger, but knew the use of no weapon other than those of A. It often happens that we sell the nature, and aithough as wild as the deer, same box five or six different times in the proved to be a lad of about sixteen years. Great anxiety was, from various and competent sources, manifested in reducing to A. Puffers employed to bid against real civilization this most perfect child of the woods. He was carried to Woodville, Q. To what intent do these puffers Mississippi, where he soon became domesticated and exhibited marked eviden-A. Why, until I can catch any other ces of speech, first as the Parrot or an chap bidding; then as quick as I can, I Automaton, and occasionally, as if showig the impulses of reason, would appear Cross-examined .- Q. Do you think that under the influence of some hidden or latent spring; rationality gradually developed itself as if from a long slumber. Q. But were you not 15 years at it be- When susceptible of interrogation, the fore your conscience became too tender to natural inquiries suggested were, who he was? where he came from? what his A. Yes but there was not an auction name, and the myste ious circumstances every day. I often refused to sell shave which had placed him in the awful dilema; as well as the manner in which he had By a juror. Q. Will you report how sustained himself among the bear and other ravenous beasts. From the best A. Yes, I'll tell you exactly. There interpretation of his answers, it appeared were a great number of small articles, tess that his name was Bill, -his father's than the top of your finger, and worth Brown; who was rowing his mother and little or nothing, placed in the bottom of a younger brother down the Mississippi, the box; then there was a few silver arti- about eight years previous in a small cles put in the top, and sold at so much craft, and from some unknown cause, each article, and the bidder was told there killed and threw overboard their mother, were 150 articles in the box; and as soon and then deposited Bill with his younger as he purchased them and paid part of the brother on the bank; the latter shortly money, then the articles were all reckon- died, leaving Bill in this forlorn and desoed, and made to amount to 500 articles. late situation, who from the impulse of Q. What used you to do on such occa-ons? hunger penetrated the adjacent swamps, the theatre of his future destiny—Bill's A. Why, I told the best story I could, first food was frogs and tadpoles, but as as in duty bound. I was considered a his capacities became more congenial to pretty smart fellow that way, and was, his necessities, the flesh of opossum was adopted; one seldom escaped when Q Did persons ever buy in their own discovered; raccoons were occasionally taken. He was also particularly fond of A. Sometimes the goods were sent to lizzards, and for months after taken, disthe auctioneer with an invoice; and if the played the utmost activity in catching owner wished to protect them, (from being them which he ate alive. At the sight sold too cheap,) he might do so; but we of a lizzard all the anxiety of a cat pouncing on a mouse was strikingly pictured. Q. You have said you have often sold Bill said that the bear, wolves, panthers the same article several times over. Ex- and other animals frequently came near A. If, for instance, I had a single watch an approach to an object so like themto sell, and could not get a single bidder selves. The best and most efficient means for it, some of the Funks bid for it, and of civilization proved inefficient; he was I knock it down, and then take it up again taught to drive a wagon, plough and uso as if it was another watch, pretending that I had a large number of them, and knock all patience of his tutors. The first it down to a second Funk; and then anomanifestation of the social feelings was ther of the Funks says, "that watch is not towards the female sex, whose presence dear, I'll take another of them," although acted like magic; his next reading attrache knows that there is not any other one. non was that of spirits; he became dissi-Another Funk then says, "Come, I'll pated. Bill is now a living monument of take two of them at the same price," until the natural and innate depravity of man, perhaps some stranger thinks the watches the depths of which are beyond the reach are going very cheap, and asks the opin- of mortal man, the philosophers, phreion of one of the Funks, who tells him nologists and modern sages notwithstand-

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